

Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 STATE 071654
ORIGIN OES-06

INFO OCT-01 EUR-12 ISO-00 SSO-00 INRE-00 USIE-00
ERDA-05 AID-05 CEA-01 CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00
EB-08 FEAE-00 FPC-01 H-01 INR-07 INT-05 L-03
NSAE-00 NSC-05 OMB-01 PM-04 SP-02 SS-15 STR-04
TRSE-00 ACDA-07 PA-01 PRS-01 EA-07 /102 R

DRAFTED BY ERDA/AIA:HJAFJE OES/NET/IM:MPROCHNIK
APPROVED BY OES/NET/IM:MPROCHNIK
EUR/RPE - A SENS
EB/ORF/FSE - B RAMSEY
OES/NET - L NOSENZO
T/D - L SCHEINMAN

-----011519Z 009894 /53

O 011506Z APR 77
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO USMISSION OECD PARIS IMMEDIATE

S E C R E T STATE 071654

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: TECH, ENGR, OECD FR

SUBJECT: U.S. INITIATIVES AT APRIL NEA STEERING COMMITTEE
MEETING

REF: OECD P 08663

2. MISSION SHOULD ADVISE WILLIAMS U.S. WILL NOT BE PRE-
PARED TO MAKE SUBSTANTIVE PROPOSALS RELATIVE TO ALTERNATIVE
FUEL CYCLE STUDIES AT APRIL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING. WE
ARE CONSIDERING ROLE OF NEA (AS WELL AS BILATERAL AND
OTHER MULTILATERAL APPROACHES) IN SUCH STUDIES. PRIOR TO
FLOATING ANY INITIATIVE BEFORE NEA WE WILL NEED SIGNIFICANT
BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS. WE APPRECIATE WILLIAMS' AND
SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 STATE 071654

ALER'S COOPERATION BUT DO NOT BELIEVE U.S. ABLE TO TABLE
ANYTHING BEFORE OCTOBER STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING.

2. NOTE THAT U.S. INITIATIVES WERE TO BE SUGGESTED AS
ALTERNATIVE TO PARA 47 OF DRAFT NEA PROGRAM OF WORK FOR
1978 DEALING WITH REPROCESSING. FOR SAME REASONS CITED
PARA 1, WE FEEL THAT NEA COMMITMENT TO REPROCESSING STUDY

(WHICH WE SEE AS INEVITABLE OUTCOME IF THIS PROGRAM ITEM

FLOATED AT APRIL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING) WOULD BE PREMATURE. WE WOULD, THEREFORE, STRONGLY URGE WILLIAMS TO POSTPONE PLACING REPROCESSING STUDY IN DRAFT PROGRAM UNTIL LATER THIS SUMMER; IT COULD THEN BE DISCUSSED AT OCTOBER STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING IN CONJUNCTION WITH ANY RELATED INITIATIVES THAT WE MAY PROPOSE. (BEGIN SECRET FYI - U.S., AS PART OF ITS NON-PROLIFERATION POLICY STATEMENT TO BE RELEASED SHORTLY, WILL SUPPORT INTENSIVE INTERNATIONAL NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLE RE-EVALUATION PROGRAM (IFCEP) WHOSE TECHNICAL ASPECTS WILL CONCERN THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF ALTERNATIVE, NON-SENSITIVE, NUCLEAR FUEL CYCLES. WE DO NOT WISH A PROPOSED NEA REPROCESSING STUDY, THROUGH ITS EARLIER TIMING, TO SHAPE THE SCOPE, NATURE AND PARTICIPATION OF BROADER FUEL CYCLE STUDIES THAT WE ENVISION. WHILE WE RECOGNIZE THAT WE MAY NOT HAVE THE ABILITY TO ENSURE POSTPONEMENT OF FURTHER NEA ANALYSIS OF REPROCESSING, WE SHOULD MAKE IT CLEAR TO WILLIAMS THAT EARLY SURFACING OF SUCH A PROPOSAL IN NEA PROGRAM MAY WELL RESULT IN LACK OF U.S. PARTICIPATION OR SUPPORT. END FYI. END SECRET). CHRISTOPHER

SECRET

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION, MEETING AGENDA, POLICIES, COMMITTEE MEETINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 01-Apr-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977STATE071654
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: HJAFFE OES/NET/IM:MPROCHNIK
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D770112-0700
Format: TEL
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19770497/aaaadgst.tel
Line Count: 85
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: c0978bab-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ORIGIN OES
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 77 OECD PARIS 8663
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 01-Mar-2005 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 2924616
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: U.S. INITIATIVES AT APRIL NEA STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING
TAGS: TECH, ENRG, FR, US, OECD
To: OECD PARIS
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/c0978bab-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009